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The Wind Blows.

Hark!
The wind blows, and sleet and hail
Fast follow on the eddying gale—
The winter seething in the snows;
The sweeping storm, from night to night
Beats back the huge, devouring night;
The watchdogs bark
And the wind blows.

Hark!
The wind blows, the hills grow brown,
The snow melts and the rain comes down,
The swollen current dips and flows;
The water foams, the bridge gives way;
By night the horseman drinks the spray;
The watchdogs bark
And the wind blows.

Hark!
The wind blows, the nights grow brief,
The savage forests burst in leaf,
The time of planting comes and goes;
The waters fall, the sand drifts down;
Suns pass and no man thinks thereon;
The watchdogs bark
And the wind blows.

—*Dora Read Goodale.*

A Chapter of Accidents.

"Little things on little wings
Bear little souls to heaven."

I.

He wrote, and wrote, and wrote. Not exactly from "early morn 'till dewy eve," but from the cricket's first shriek to the rattle of the milkman's equipage. He told first how he loved her, and, being a slightly sensible man and thoroughly in earnest, that did not require much space; but then he had the story of an old love to explain—how he had been bewitched by other smiles, and only escaped their thralldom when the fair enchantress had proved herself unworthy by marrying some one else. Moreover—and this was a difficult point—those chains had been riveted not before he met the object of his present devotion, but under her eye and with her encouragement as confidant.

He felt keenly the delicacy of this position, and it is not unlikely that his brain and pen did also. Then there was another troublesome point. The "mighty dollar" had most pertinaciously evaded his grasp, and while that fact alone offered brilliant suggestions for eloquent pictures, viz., "love in a cottage" and strong, devoted arms, it shrunk disagreeably when coupled with the knowledge that Miss Trente was an heiress.

He spent a large portion of the night dreaming on this situation reversed. How glorious to possess everything, and say, "All yours, my queen." But while there was a latent relief that she never know privation for him, the waking was bitter, and had his affection been one iota less, he had flung his letter into the fire, and his love as far as possible into Lethe. As it was, he wrote on, ending in an impetuous, heartful fashion, thus:

"If you send me away, let it be by silence; I cannot bear 'No' from your lips."

Then he hastened to sign, seal and deliver to the corner post.

It was on a deserted corner, and a gray morning; so perhaps no one saw that he touched the letter to his lips—certainly no one knew that he breathed a prayer toward the tiny streak of silver that Aurora was pushing over the eastern chimneys.

Being a sensitive, reserved young man, he considered this ignorance on the part of humanity laudable; but if some kind busybody could have hinted another glance at the direction on that envelope, how doubly grateful he would have been!

II.

"Stand from under!" She was passing under the scaffold of an unfinished building three days after the posting of Mr. Carlton's epistle, when this cry and an ominous crashing overhead brought her to a standstill of terror.

She was still undecided which way to fly, when a figure stepped quickly from the door-way near and lifted her within.

When the crash was over and the dust clearing, she found her senses sufficiently to recognize Jack Carlton.

"This way, Miss Trente. I can insure you a safer return," said he, quietly, leading the way to the rear entrance of the house.

Miss Trente gave a shuddering glance at the still vibrating timbers.

"They would have crushed me to atoms," she murmured, fearfully.

"I was very fortunate to be in time," Carlton said, after a brief pause. "The house is one of my uncle's, and I happened by with directions from him."

There was a kind of stern repression about him that Miss Trente noticed with surprise.

"I hope my silence has not led you to believe me unappreciative," she said, hesitatingly, as they reached the sidewalk. "I am very grateful, Mr. Carlton, and——"

"And sorry, no doubt." Mr. Carlton interrupted, bitterly. "But compassion and gratitude are what I never desire from any woman—least of all from you, Miss Trente."

The little hand that had started toward him returned hastily to its fellow in the shelter of a dainty muff, and Miss Trente's pretty brows raised a trifle with dismay.

"Oh!" she gasped. Then, with gentle dignity: "I will not offend so far again"—and passed on with a slight bow.

But Jack cried, "Forgive me!" in a tone of trouble and contrition, that stopped her as effectually as an iron grasp could have done.

"I did not mean that. Forget it, and say good-by!"

His hand was extended entreatingly, and hers met it without hesitation.

"Are you going away?" she asked, gently, wondering at the white shadow on his face.

"What else?" he said.

Her eyes fell, and her color changed slightly as she murmured:

"I hoped you would learn to forget."

"In death, perhaps."

She looked up then with quivering lips and a world of compassion in her eyes.

"Good-by. You know what that means?"

"God be with you."

And she passed on, an expression mingling with the pity in her face that puzzled him; for had she not sent him away?

It puzzled him so much that he would have followed her but for the flash of her diamond ear-rings.

III.

It was a "nipping and an eager air," that almost froze the breath upon one's lips—a bitter, snowy day in January.

Carlton had taken a horse-car, dinner-ward bound, and, finding it full, took his stand beside the driver.

That farewell blessing of Miss Trente's had proved a very potent one. In the year since, "Carlton's luck" had become a trite phrase among his friends. His face was a fortune in itself, they said. Not that he was peculiarly handsome, but there was a light of steadfastness in his eyes, and firmness of purpose in the curve of his mouth, that must win, soon or late. Some said he had changed with his changing fortune. There was a certain brightness wanting in his glance, and somehow his read was less cheery, but he was no less generous or brave, and only a fractious critic could have found fault in him as he stood there, facing the shower of snowflakes with strength and good-nature written unmistakably in face and figure, and a gleam of compassion in his eyes when they rested on the tired horses or a thinly-clad passer-by.

"How are all, Mike?" he began, bestowing a genial smile upon the driver, whose family history had become familiar to him in his rides to and from his office.

"Sure, the wife's worse, and two of the childer have the masles, and there was only one little creature, a wee mite, sure, scarcely able to climb into a chair herself; left to nurse them, and provisions were scarce, the doctor's charges terrible," etc., etc. The addenda were unusually serious and pathetic to-day. Evidently Mike was "not aisy in his mind."

"Why, you ought to be with them," said Jack.

"Och, how could I be? I'd lose me place entirely, sir," said Mike, ruefully. But Carlton's sympathy aroused; he never failed in possible service.

"You know me as a friend of your employers. I will make it all right with them. Just step off here and go home," he commanded, peremptorily.

"An' what'll become of the horses?"

"I'll drive on to the depot and explain."

"Sure," cried Mike, enthusiastically, "you're the foinest gentleman I iver see, and if you're not a gineral, ye oughter be."

"All right," Carlton laughed, slipping some coin into his admirer's hand. "Give it to the little ones, with my love."

That was how it happened that Miss Trente, taking a car in front of Browne & Co.'s, found herself face to face with Jack Carleton.

She stared incredulously as he flushed, lifted his hat, and then quietly turned the brake and started his horses.

"Mr. Carlton, is it possible?"

He gave a silent glance toward the crowd looking on. The old look of wondering compassion, mingled with something else, gleamed on him for a moment, then she silently passed inside.

"A delightful position," thought Jack, rather regretting his quixotism.

Then came the reflection. What did it matter? What was he to Hecuba, or Hecuba to him? And he ground his teeth together savagely, and forgot to take up any more passengers.

A gentle touch upon his sleeve recalled him suddenly, and he stopped the car without meeting her eyes.

"I am visiting a friend here. Will you come this evening?" half-command, half-entreaty; and, before Jack recovered from his astonishment, she had placed a card in his hand and was gone.

He never remembered how that drive was finished.

Some recollection came of a narrow escape from arrest at the depot, and he had a vague impression of being abused by some passengers who seemed to have passed their destination, and threatened by others who resorted to jumping off while his horses were being urged to their utmost speed.

But he did not notice anything particularly until darkness found him in Miss Trente's presence. There was a certain constraint in her greeting that troubled him.

After a while she showed him a familiar envelope, saying:

"See, the number is wrong—two instead of three; and it did not reach me until you were gone, and you left no address."

His face grew bright as a new brass preserving-kettle.

"Then you did not send me away, and you will not now?"

"If you still mean all this"—with a shy glance at the letter whose eloquence had been so nearly wasted—"I would not send you away for the world."

Evidently Jack was sure of his meaning.

"Even knowing my position?" he said, presently, with a queer smile in his eyes.

"I cannot bear to think of that," she cried, eagerly. "Don't go back to those horrid cars ever again. Indeed, I cannot bear it, while I have so much, Jack."

"My dear," cried Jack, with a light-hearted, ringing laugh, "I have been growing rich, not poor, and now I am the richest man in the world!"

A Great American.

Henry Cabot Lodge says in the Atlantic Monthly: The universal prevalence of the colonial spirit is shown most strongly by one great exception, just as the flash of lightning makes us realize the intense darkness of a thunder storm at night. In the midst of the provincial and barren waste of our intellectual existence in the eighteenth century there stands out in sharp relief the luminous genius of Franklin. It is true that Franklin was cosmopolitan in thought, that his name and fame and achievements in science and literature belonged to mankind; but he was all this because he was genuinely and intensely American. His audacity, his fertility, his adaptability, are all characteristic of America, and not of an English colony. He moved with an easy and assured step, with a poise and balance which nothing could shake, among the great men of the world; he stood before kings and princes and courtiers, unmoved and unawed. He was strongly averse to breaking with England; but when the war came he was the one man who could go forth and represent to Europe the new nationality without a touch of the colonist about him. He met them all, great ministers and great sovereigns, on a common ground, as if the colonies of yesterday had been an independent nation for generations. His autobiography is the corner-stone, the first great work of American literature The plain, direct style, almost worthy of Swift, the homely, forcible language, the humor, the observation, the knowledge of men, the worldly philosophy of that remarkable book, are familiar to all; but its best and, considering its date, its most extraordinary quality is its perfect originality. It is American in feeling, without any taint of English colonialism. Look at Franklin in the midst of that excellent Pennsylvanian community; compare him and his genius with his surrounding, and you get a better idea of what the colonial spirit was in America in those days, and how thoroughly men were saturated with it, than in any other way.

Influence of Iron.

Does the increasing transfer of iron from the interior to the surface of the earth, asks *Knowledge*, exercise any meteorological influence? Is it in any marked way influential on electric currents, and thence does it affect magnetic storms? This is a question which needs a little thought to answer safely. The development of railways, and the almost universal substitution of iron for wood wherever it is practicable to use that metal, must surely exercise a decided influence of its own. Every year more and more of the iron formerly buried in the earth is spread upon its surface, and it is surely reasonable to assume that, electrically at least, some effect is produced; how far we may venture, as some seem now disposed to do, to translate this into a meteororical agency is a problem for science to determine.

PEARLS OF THOUGHT.

A good character shines by its own light.

They that govern most make least noise.

Life is but short, therefore crosses cannot be long.

In jealousy there is more love of self than of any one else.

People do not need to know more about virtue, but rather practice what they already know.

If there is any person to whom you feel a dislike, that is the person of whom you ought never to speak.

He who can irritate you when he likes is your master. You had better turn rebel by learning the virtue of patience.

Poetry is the blossom and fragrance of all human knowledge, human thoughts, human passions, emotions, language.

Whosoever lends a greedy ear to a slanderous report is either himself of a radically bad disposition or a mere child in sense.

Speak the truth; yield not to anger; give, when asked, of the little thou hast; by these three steps thou shalt go near the gods.

It is little troubles that wear the heart out. It is easier to throw a bombshell a mile, than a feather—even with artillery.

Be willing to do good in your own way. We need none of us be disturbed if we cannot wield another's weapons; but our own must not rust.

In misfortune one may know a friend, in battle a hero, in debt an honest person, in decaying fortunes a wife, and kinsmen in affliction.

Let us be careful only of the quality of our work that it be thorough, genuine, simple-hearted, the best that is in us, the best that can come out of us.

It is neither safe, respectable, nor wise to bring any youth to manhood without a regular calling. Industry, like idleness, is a matter of habit. No idle boy will make an active, industrious and useful man.

Buying a Horse.

The *Turf, Field and Farm* says that in buying a horse first look at his head and eyes for signs of intelligence, temper, courage and honesty. Unless a horse has brains you cannot teach him to do anything well. If bad qualities predominate in a horse, education only serves to enlarge and intensify them. The head is the indicator of disposition. A square muzzle, with large nostrils, evidences an ample breathing apparatus and lung power. Next, see that he is well and clean cut under the jowl, with jawbones broad and wide apart under the throttle. Breadth and fullness between the ears and eyes are always desirable. The eyes should be full and hazel in color, ears small and thin and thrown well forward. The horse that turns his ears back every now and then is not to be trusted. He is either a biter or a kicker, and is sure to be vicious in other respects, and, being naturally vicious, can never be trained to anything well, and so a horse with a rounding nose, tapering forehead and a broad, full face below the eyes is always treacherous and not to be depended on. Avoid the long legged, stilted animal—always choosing one with a short, straight back and rump, withers high and shoulders sloping, well set back and with good depth of chest, fore legs short, hind legs straight, with low down hock, short pastern joints, and a round, mulish shaped foot. By observing the above directions a horse may be selected that is graceful in his movements, good natured and serviceable—one that will be a prize to the owner.

The Clerk Wilted.

A few days before Congress adjourned Senator Harris, of Tennessee, a rather plain-looking old gentleman, went into the room of the Senate committee on claims to look up the case of a Tennessee friend. The clerk of a Senate committee is always a bigger man than the chairman, or the president of the Senate for that matter. The clerk of this particular committee had never seen Harris before, and he did not like the somewhat imperative way in which Harris asked for information about his friend's claim. "Are you the claimant?" he finally asked, sharply. "No," said Harris, "I am not." "Are you his attorney?" still more sharply. "No," said Harris as quietly as before, "I am not." "Well, then, what interest have you in the case?" asked the clerk in the high-keyed-George-Bliss tone. "Oh," not much," said the senator blandly; "but the people down there sent me to the Senate, and as the claimant in this case is my constituent I thought the best I could do was to ask about it." For once the clerk wilted.—*Troy Times.*

BEAUTIFUL CORALS.

What They Are and How They Are Fished Out.

Coral, as an ornamental stone, was appreciated centuries before its real nature was known. At first it was thought to belong to the mineral kingdom, and then it was recognized as a marine plant, the coral beads which were first brought into Greece being thought to be berries, which had reddened and hardened by exposure to the air. It was centuries after its first discovery that an Italian naturalist called these supposed flowers or berries "Corallium rubrum," and scientific men accept this definition as conclusive. But it was a French doctor at Marseilles who found out, not much more than a hundred years ago, that these supposed flowers were in reality animals, endowed with the power of voluntary motion. When, however, he communicated his discovery to the French academy of sciences, his name was concealed, in order to protect him from the derision that was expected to follow his declaration—so persuaded were even the men of science that corals were merely petrified flowers. The French doctor, however, was right. Corals are sea anemones, that have secreted a calcareous skeleton and have become compound by budding. In a living state, the coral branch we see in commerce is covered with a leathery coating of a bright red color, studded with small holes, out of which protrude white polyps, with eight tentacles, looking exactly like flowers, which deceived the Italian naturalist. Well, it is these colonies of soft-bodied zoophytes which secrete the lime of which the valuable stone is composed. Now, although coral is one of the most abundant substances in nature—entire islands and reefs being formed of it in tropical seas—the particular variety of red coral is comparatively rare, and is almost entirely confined to the Mediterranean sea. It is there found in reefs, a few miles from the shore, and at depths varying from one to a hundred fathoms. The greatest coral fisheries are those off Naples, Sicily, Sardinia and Algiers.

Almost every year a new bed is found somewhere along the Italian coast. A rush is then made to the spot and the bed is soon exhausted. The rush used to be so great, indeed, that it frequently took a man-of-war to keep the fishing fleet in order. Now, however all this is changed; for, by the new fisheries act, the discoverer of a new coral bank has the exclusive right to fish on it for two years. The value of these banks may be estimated at an average yearly rate of eight thousand tons of coral, rendering several millions of pounds sterling! The coral fisheries off Algiers are under the control of the French government, which exacts heavy duties for the right of fishing; and in order to prevent the exhaustion of this fishery the reefs are divided into ten portions, ten years being the time which the coral is supposed to take in order to reach its full growth; thus, by fishing only one of these divisions at a time, provision is made for an uninterrupted fishery.

Medical Curiosities.

Dr. F. C. Valentine, who for several years practiced medicine in Central America, has written of the "medical curiosities" of the home practice in that country. Many of their resorts are curious and amusing, such as the administration of frog soup for all skin diseases, but several are worth worth quoting because they are probably useful suggestions for anyone, as follows:

Marshmallow leaves are largely used in poultices and for painful hemorrhoids.

A tea of chamomile flowers is considered tonic and useful in indigestion, and when hot in colic, whether stomachic or uterine.

Three ounces of flaxseed in two quarts of water, reduced by boiling to one quart, with an ounce of manna and the juice of a sweet orange, provides a drink in cases of dysentery, which Dr. V. holds fast to, having proved it to be good.—*Dr. Foote's Health Monthly.*

King Alcohol's Way.

A young man by the name of Murphy, living in London, went home the other night, and instead of finding a warm welcome and hot supper, he found his mother stone dead on the floor, with her head firmly wedged in a tin saucepan. She was in liquor when her son left her, and the medical evidence went to show that she had pitched forward upon the floor and driven her head into the saucepan so securely that she could not extricate it, and had consequently died of suffocation. Since the dawn of creation the king of terrors has wielded an infinite variety of weapons, but probably never before confronted his victim with a saucepan.

REEFING A STEER.

The Story of the Old Settler From Away Back in Pike County, Penn.

"We heerd that Phil Boyer, who lived six mile back on the ridge, were goin' to beef a steer o' his'n, which were a little too obstreperous to be handled for work. Ez none of us had ever heerd of a beefin' bee, we ruther calc'lated ez 'twere 'bout time to get one up, an' so we jest throw'd together a high ole party, an' started to give Phil a s'prise.

"For a mile or so 'fore we got to Phil's we heerd a fearful yellin' and howlin', but we thort 'twere only a cattymount singin' over in the swamp, an' we hedn't time to think about a little thing like that. The moon were bigger'n a washtub, an' we could see jest tbout ez well ez if the sun were shinin'. It were colder than Greenlan'. The howlin' an' hollerin' got louder ez we got nigher to Phil's, an' when we struck his clearin' an' come up to the house, we see a sight that jest nigh on to killed us a laughin'. Thar were Phil on the roof o' the cabin, straddle o' the ridge pole, a yellin', 'Help! help!' ez if some one were butcherin' on him. A prancin' an' bellerin' round the cabin, fust on one side an' then on t'other, were the steer, a pawin' the snow wus nor if a nor'easter were gettin' in its work on a drift, an' actin' ez if 'twere havin' more'n a barrel o' fun, an' 'twant costin' of him a cent. It were a funny sight, an we jest howled.'

"'What a' ye doin' up thar, Phil?' we hollered. 'An' how'd ye git up thar?'

"'Lord, but want he bilin' mad?

"'I clumb up the chimbly, o' course, ye dodblasted galoots,' said he. 'It was so blamed hot in the cabin that I clumb up yer to git cool.'

"'Come down, Phil. We've come to give ye a s'prise. We thort ye was goin' ter beef yer steer to-day. Ain't ye goin' ter beef it?'

"'Do ye see or hear anything o' that steer, consarn ye!' said he. 'An' can't ye see it's only a question whether I'm agoin' to beef that steer or whether it'll beef me? and the odds hez al been in favor o' the steer all day. The infernal critter gen'ly boosted me onter this ridge pole at 10 o'clock this mornin', an' I've been yer freezin' an' yellin' fur help ever sense. My ole woman an' the young uns is locked in the cabin, an' I've seen em try twice to git out to the wood pile, but that steer has took good keer that they didn't, an' ez I haint heerd nothin' on em sence I, reckon they'm either freze to death or gone to bed to keep warm. That steer hez been havin' the properest kind of a Fourth o' July celebration all day, an' if some o' you fellers can git away with him ye kin send for the cor'ner, fur I'll be froze stiffer'n a Chris'mas goose 'fore mornin.'"

"So we hed to tackle the steer. By pluggin' it full o' pistol balls, an, poundin' it on the head with an ax for half an hour or so, we sp'ilt his little fun. Then we got Phil down an' thawed him out.

"Well, we had a high ole time at Phil's that night,' continued the ranger. "The ole 'ooman an' the young uns had gone to bed to keep warm, sure enough, but we soon hed 'em in good shape. An' that beefin' bee closed the season."

The Human Skin.

If you could see a piece of your skin through a microscope you would see long lines of ridges and hollows that look more like plowed ground than anything that I can think of. The ridges are divided into little conical elevations in which a nerve terminates or else passes around it; and here lies the sense of touch. In the hollows are the pores that are the openings of the sweat ducts. What are these, do you ask? Well, they are minute tubes which, straightened out, would be about a quarter of an inch long, that start in the tissue beneath the derma and wind spirally up through the skin until the upper surface is reached where its open end terminates. The other end is twisted into a sort of knot which is contained in a little sac, and this is surrounded by blood vessels.

The number of these little sweat ducts or glands is astonishing. It is estimated that in every square inch of skin there are at least 2800, and, as in a person of ordinary size there are 2500 square inches of surface, these glands count up 7,000,000. Only think of it—7,000,000 pores to keep open through a whole lifetime! If these tubes were put together end to end there would be one long canal of about twenty-eight miles. How is that for a system of sewage?—*Toledo Blade.*

The Edinburgh Medical *Journal* endeavors to show that baldness is probably contagious.

Sowing and Reaping.

Sow with a generous hand,
Pause not for toil or pain;
Weary not through the heat of summer,
Weary not through the cold spring rain;
But wait till the autumn comes
For the sheaves of golden grain.

Scatter the seed and fear not,
A table will be spread;
What matter if you are too weary
To eat your hard-earned bread;
Sow while the earth is broken,
For the hungry must be fed.

Sow while the seeds are lying
In the warm earth's bosom deep,
And your warm tears fall upon it—
They will stir in quiet sleep;
And the green blades rise the quicker,
Perchance for the tears you weep.

Then sow for the hours are fleeting,
And the seed must fall to-day;
And care not what hands shall reap it,
Or if you shall have pass'd away
Before the waving corn-fields
Shall gladden the sunny day.

Sow, and look onward, upward,
Were the starry light appears—
Where, in spite of the coward's doubting,
Or your own heart's trembling fears,
You shall reap in joy the harvest
You have sown to-day in tears.

—*Adelaide A. Proctor.*

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

A fine fellow—The judge.

Agricultural item—Never cultivate an acquaintance with a "rake."

A man in the hands of a drunken barber should be glad when he gets out of the tight scrape.

A new song is entitled, "We Never Speak As We Pass By." Probably they are both courting the same girl.

"Let every man add a good name to his other capital," quoted the forger when he fixed up a ten-thousand-dollar check.

It is said that inhaling the fumes of sulphur cures catarrh. The course that many people pursue in this life gives promise that they won't be afflicted with catarrh in the next.

A gentleman had his boots blacked by one of two boys and gave the shiner a two-dollar bill to get changed. After waiting some time he said to the other boy, "Where's your partner?" "Oh," said the youth with a grin, "he's bust up, and I'm his assignee."

Travelers in Canada have not failed of noticing the number of shopkeepers, from chow-chow builders to undertakers, that are purveyors to the royal family; but it remained for a Dundas barber to fling to the breeze a gayly-bedizened banner with the awful device: "The Queen's Barber Shop."

There are sixty-six thousand locomotives in the world. And yet, when you have waited for a train at some desolate way station for five hours you wouldn't believe there were half so many. Sixty-six thousand! And still a man can miss a train as easily as though there was only one engine on the whole continent.

"Which is the deepest, the longest, the broadest and the smallest grave in this church-yard?" said a pedestrian to his companions, while meditating among the tombs in a cemetery. "Why," was the answer, "it is that in which Miles Button is buried, for it is Miles below the sod, Miles in length, Miles in breadth, and yet after all it is but a Button-hole."

Troubled.

"Dearest, sweetest, what is it? Are you sick? What ails my precious pet?" and the young husband bent tenderly over the graceful form of his blushing bride.

"Oh, Adolphus Edward, its too dreadful for anything."

"Bad news from home?"

"Worse, worse! Oh, what shall I do?"

"Tell your own darling hubby."

"It's that awful Selina Tarbox, she's—"

"She's what, my precious?"

"She's got a bonnet trimmed exactly like mine, and to-morrow's Sunday!"

Then the afflicted beauty buried her face in her husband's breast and trickled her pearly tears all over his three-dollar shirt.—*Chicago Eye.*

The Oyster.

In a communication to the Philadelphia *Medical and Surgical Journal*, Dr. Charles L. Dana, of New York, points out some prevalent errors concerning oysters. It has been said that the oyster, on account of its hepatic diastase, has the power of digesting itself. In a series of experiments, Dr. Dana has given the mollusk some excellent opportunities of doing so, but it declines to digest even its own liver. As to the superior digestibility of raw oysters over cooked, it was found that when boiled for a short time, or roasted in the shell, they were nearly if not quite as rapidly dissolved as the raw. Cooking, in fact, loosened the muscular fibrils, thus allowing the peptic juices to penetrate.

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Methodist.

Rev. Furman Adams Preacher-in-charge.

Sunday School at 10½ A. M.—D. A Musser, Sup't

Reformed.

Rev. Zwingli A. Yearick, Pastor.

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The friends of Samuel J. Tilden are already pushing his claims for the nomination for president in 1884. We are of the opinion that Gen. Hancock is the man to lead the Democrats to victory.—Lewisburg *Journal*.

And that is exactly what we think about it, brother Whitman.

The few isolated Greenbackers of the state still seem to think that they are a political party and have called a convention to meet at Williamsport August 30th, presumably to go through the motion of nominating a state ticket.

The Republican State Convention will meet July 11th. Certainly no reasonable objection can be urged against the time excepting that it may be very hot.

A DARK CRIME UNVEILED.

Two of the Phoenix Park Murderers Plead Guilty and are Sentenced.

DUBLIN, May 2.—Patrick Delaney and Thomas Caffrey, two more of the men charged with participation in the murders of Cavendish and Burke, in Phoenix Park, on the evening of the 6th of May '82, were arraigned for trial this morning. They created a sensation in court by pleading guilty to the charge against them. They were both sentenced by Judge O'Brien to be hanged on the second day of June next. In pleading guilty Delaney said he was forced to go to the park by the society to which he belonged. He saw the murders committed but took no part in them. He went to the park in Kavanagh's car. Kavanagh and Cary, he said, speak the truth. The murders were committed by Joe Brady and Timothy Kelly, and by nobody else. Caffrey said he had to go to the park under pain of death, and that he did not know what was going to happen until twenty minutes before the murders were committed.

The sentence of Delaney will probably be commuted to a life long servitude. John Hanlon, one of the prisoners awaiting trial, has finally been accepted as an approver. He will confirm the evidence of the two Careys against thirteen prisoners in Kilmainham jail charged with comspiracy to murder.

Labor Troubles.

There is an unrest and agitation among all classes of laboring men throughout the entire country and all the indications at this time point toward extensive and prolonged strikes and lock-outs, with heavy losses both to employers and employes. There will be untold privations and suffering in the families of the employees, leaving out of the question probable scenes of violence that may follow to disturb the peace and order of society—and all because capital and labor can not or will not learn to understand a common interest and a common benefit.

There is so much of evil and so little substantial good consequent upon trikes that they should never be inaugurated for slight causes, and yet it is evident that in most instances they are begun for reasons altogether insufficient. For example the big strike now in progress in the bituminous coal regions regiong of western Pennsylvania rest on a difference of only half a cent per bushel of mined coal. The men demand 3½ cents per bushel while the operators are willing to give but 3 cents. The strike throws nearly 6000 men out of work, representing about 25,000 people. The loss in wages amount to nearly $12,000 each day, which in one month will amount to $350,000.

Other localities have caught the infection and strikes are also going in the coal regions of Belleville, Illinois, and at other points, and it is almost certain that the iron workers over the whole United States will strike on the first of June.

What about a remedy for the great and growing evil? What and where is it? The recent Wallace arbitration law is being looked to very generally as a probable source of relief. Let its merits be tried soon. On this point the Harrisburg *Patriot* pertinently says:

Now that the ordinary means of adjusting the difficulties between the employer and employee have failed it is to be hoped that the new Wallace arbitration bill will be invoked to avert the strike which must be a public calamity. Every citizen is concerned in preserving friendly relations between the elements of industrial enterprise and in the present aspect there seems no hope but in this measure.

Amusement in Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 1.—The police learned late last night that a prize-fight occured in the town of Lake on Sunday between John Kelly, a New York bruiser, and Rodney, alias "Yank" Cunningham, a bartender for Alderman Appleton. The fight was a slugging match from the beginning. Eight rounds were fought in twenty-six minutes, both men being dreadfully punished. Kelly had his face cut and his nose broken, while Cunningham lost four teeth and, it is believed, had his skull fractured. The fight was awarded to Kelly, whom the police are looking for. It is thought that Cunningham will die.

Coyle Convicted of Murder.

GETTYSBURG, Pa., May 6.—The jury in the case of John Coyle, jr., on trial for the murder of Miss Emily Myers, in York county in 1881, to-day rendered a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree. A motion for a new trial was made and will be argued on Monday. Coyle had previously been convicted in York county, but the verdict was set aside by the supreme court and a change of venue to this country was granted.

The following sensible remarks are from the Altoona *Tribune*:

"Every man ought to be absolute master of his own labor. He ought to be free to work or to refrain from working according to his own pleasure. No man ought to be allowed to interfere with him in determining the price at which he will sell his labor. At the same time he has no right to prevent other men working because he will not work. He can control his own movements and none dare molest so long as he obeys the law, but he has no right to force another man into idleness who is willing to work. Whenever men combine to intimidate others they practice the worst sort of tyranny and set an example which will be apt to return to plague them in the future. Tyranny begets tyranny, and it often happens that a weapon forged by labor for its alleged protection is used eventually by the enemies of labor to crush it.

Don't go in Haste.

People had better exercise a better caution about joining the present Dakota exodus. Perfectly authenticated reports are coming from localities there of dire distress among newly arrived emigrants, and their stock especially. Crowding in by the hundreds of carloads, the new towns and new country afford no adequate amount of food and water, saying nothing about shelter, and the weather has been unusally inclement. Many cattle and horses are reported to have actually died of starvation, and some parties have shipped clear back to where they started from—one such case unloading Tuesday at the Tipton depot—a Mr. M. Whitmer from toward Wilton. Mr. Whitmer started for Miller, Hand Co. He spent about a week there, during which time he camped out in a blizzard, and was nearly drownded in a "draw." Then he hitched up and came back to Cedar, thoroughly disgusted with Dakota. The railroads have so thoroughly realized the situation as to refuse, since March 27th, to make any shipments to Dakota—about ten car-loads now waiting at this station to have the embargo removed.—*Tipton* (Iowa) *Advertiser*.

An Extra Session Probable.

HARRISBURG, May 2.—From what Governor Pattison said to-day the inference is drawn that if the Legislature does not pass the apportionment bills at the regular session he will call an extra one for that purpose. "The Constitution ordains that an apportionment be made now," he said. "It is the duty of the Legislature to make one and it is my duty to see that the Legislature perfoms its duty." Not a member of either house appears to believe that an apportionment will be made this session. This afternoon the house postponed for the the resolution reported by the ways and means committee fixing June 6th for final adjournment. This move means that the Democratic leaders of the House are in favor of continuing the session after that date should there be good reason to hope that by so doing a compromise could be reached on the apportionment.

Forty-Eight Volumes of Pension List.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Commissioner of Pensions Dudley has notified the Government printer that the list of pensioners of the United States is ready for the compositors and it is probable that the work on the document will begin July 1 1883. In response to the demand for this information Congress at its last session authorized its printing as an executive document for distribution. The Pension Bureau, however, has delayed furnishing the manuscript until this time in order that necessary corrections may be made up to January 1, 1883. An idea may be formed of the extent of the work when it is stated that forty-eight volumes of six hundred pages each will be required to fulfill the Congressional enactment.

A Common Ground of Agreement.

From the Baltimore Day.

There ought to be no conflict of jealousy between business and professional men and workingmen in politics. What do the latter want? Honest government, light taxation, clean courts and equality before the law. Who would deny them the last: and what honest citizen, rich or poor, does not join them in desiring the other things they ask? Help give them justice, and they will help you secure good government.

A HORROR AT SEA.

BURNING OF THE GRAPHLER.

The Excitement on Board—Fifty Lives Lost.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3.—The news of the burning of the steamer Graphler was brought from Nonaimo, B. C., by the John McAlister. She was burned four miles off Seymour narrows on Sunday evening. The fire was discovered by the engineer and immediately reported to the captain. One hundred passengers were aboard, principally Chinamen, and all were in bed. An immediate search was instituted by the captain, who discovered the fire back of the boiler connection. The engineer started the donkey engine and connected the hose. By this time the passengers were warned and the excitement was intense. The Chinamen behaved like maniacs and were utterly uncontrollable. They seriously impeded the action of the officers. The captain ordered all shot who refused to obey orders. Notwithstanding this the Chinamen rushed backward and forward on the vessel until it was necessary to knock some down and to carry them below, others were put in irons. All the time the fire was gaining, and efforts for its control were unavailing. The captain ordered pilot Franklin to head the steamer for the Vancouver shore. As soon as the sands were struck the boats were lowered but in the excitement the Chinamen jumped pell mell into the boats and swamped them. Owing to the intense smoke those who could swim did not know in which direction to strike out, and, surrounded by a mass of struggling Chinamen, they were drowned.

VICTORIA, B. C., May 3.—The steamer was proceeding north with one hundred passengers and a full cargo. It is supposed at least that fifty lives were lost, including Captain J. Jaggers. Only twenty are so far known to be saved. It is feared a number of canadians who came by the last steamer to work in the canneries perished. Steamers have gone to the scene. The Grappler was formerly an imperial gun boat but was sold to the merchant service.

EX-SENATOR BUCKALEW'S promised volume, "An Examination of the Constitution of Pennsylvania," has appeared. The character of the work is modestly described in the sub-title as exhibiting the derivation and history of the several provisions of the constitution, with observations and notes thereon, references to judicial opinions upon their construction and application, to statutes for their enforcement and to parallel provisions in the constitution of other American states. The work is of great value to all students of the constitution and especially to lawyers and legislators. It will of course find its way into every law library in the state.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration on the estate of Reuben S. Zerby having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

A. P. ZERBY, Administrator.

Penn township, April 12, 1883.

Lewisburg and Tyrone Railroad Time Table.

LEAVE WESTWARD.

	1	3	5	7	9
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M
Montandon	7.05	9.40	2.05	6.00	7.55
Lewisburg	7.25	10.05	2.20		
Fair Ground	7.30	10.13	2.25		
Biehl	7.40	10.27	2.35		
Vicksburg	7.45	10.35	2.40		
Millinburg	8.00 ar	11.00 ar	2.55		
			lv. 3.05		
Millmont	8.22		3.28		
Laurelton	8.33		3.40		
Wiker Run	8.37		4.06		
Cherry Run	9.15		4.25		
Fowler	9.35		4.47		
Coburn	9.48		5.06		
Spring Mills	ar 10.15		ar. 5.30		

LEAVE EASTWARD.

	2	4	6	8	10
		A. M.		P. M.	
Spring Mills		5.50		1.50	
Coburn		6 18		2.20	
Fowler		6.28		2.33	
Cherry Run		6.48		2.55	
Wiker Run		7.05		3.15	
Laurelton		7.20		3.40	
Millmont		7.40		3.52	
			A. M.		
Millinburg		8.00	11.45	4.15	
			P. M.		
Vicksburg		8.15	12.10	4.32	
Biehl		8 20	12.17	4.38	
Fair Ground	A. M.	8.30	12.33	4.48	P. M.
Lewisburg	6.35	8.45	12.50	5.10	7.30
Montandon	ar. 6.45	ar. 9.00	ar 1.05	ar. 5.20	ar 7.40

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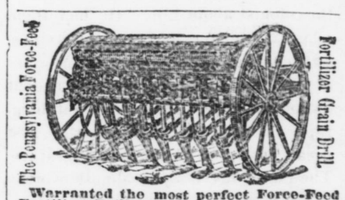

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BY DEININGER & BUMILLER.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

—Potato planting is about over and next in order comes corn.

—Rebersburg has a new Post Master —his name is John A. Miller.

—Mr. Miller our cigar man, is doing a rushing business since the first of May.

—The Selinsgrove *Times* has the first nake story of the season—and a tough one it is.

—The May meeting of the Millheim B. & L. Association comes off next Monday evening.

—An exchange says that the browning of coffee in houses is an excellent disinfectant. Worth while trying.

—Mr. Jasper W. Stover and lady are now snugly housed in Mr. Snook's mansion.

—Mrs. John Keen is away visiting at her Brother's, Mr. D. O. Bower Laurelton.

—On a trip to Woodward the other day we noticed that the grain and grass fields never looked more promising.

—The steam saw mill at Frank Weaver's was moved to near Capt. McCool's near Spring Mills, the other day.

—The Penn street people have planted shade trees along their fronts, a work that deserves both praise and immitation.

—Mr. T. G. Erhard and lady are off on a trip to Kansas. Hope they may enjoy themselves fully and return safely and well.

—Mr. Jerome Spigelmyer has broken ground for his new house on Penn Street and expects to have it under roof n a short time.

—A lot of beautiful Photograph and Autograph Albums, Fine Writing Paper and Stereoscopic Views, just received at the *Journal Store*.

—Many people are just now in the agonies of house cleaning. It is *the* time emphatically that tries men's souls, but we hope they will all stand the test.

—The series of sermons delivered once a week by Rev. Benj. Hengst for the special benefit of young folks are highly spoken of. May they be productive of much good.

—Mrs. John H. Thomas and children, of York, spent several days here visiting at her sister's, Mrs. H. K. Luse and other places. They left us on Tuesday for New Berlin.

—Mr. John C. Motz & lady shortly expect to make on extended trip to the west, as far as Colorado, and purpose staying the greater part of the summer. We wish them much pleasure.

—The Evangelical congregation at Woodward purpose to paper and paint their fine, neat church. A new fence is also talked of, all of which when completed will make it appear substantially new.

—Look at Mrs. Weaver's Spring Announcement in another column, and do not fail to heed her invitation to call at her shops on Penn street. She has the best Millinery establishment in this valley and *don't you forget it.*

—The Lutherans of Aaronsburg have decided to enclose the church and cemetery with a new substantial fence and have planted maple shade trees on the east, front and west sides. This is commendable and should be more generally imitated.

—J. A. Limbert is really one of the most accommodating and reliable fellows that ever drove a stage. Throughout the year he carries a very large amount of express goods all along the route, and delivers them in person.

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—The laying of the corner stone at Coburn on Sunday was attended by a large number of people. The weather was delightful which no doubt helped the attendance materially. The sermon was instructive, the exercises interesting and the collection satisfactory.

—The Lutheran Ladies' Mite Society will have a special meeting this (Thursday) evening to talk over the matter of holding a strawberry festival. We happen to know—and surely mean no disrespect—that they are equal to both emergencies. They can do lots of *talking* and hold a first class festival too.

—Last Thursday and Friday summer came down upon us like a flood. The thermometer fluttered away up in the eighties and everybody thought it was *awful* hot. Friday afternoon the heat was broken by a thunder shower. On Saturday it was quite cool and rainy, while Sunday was as mild and bright a day as anybody could wish.

—Mr. W. L. Bright, of Aaronsburg, has been engaged in buying cattle since January. In this time he has bought and shipped 211 head to the eastern markets. The cattle were all bought inthis and neighboring valleys, 49 head in Haines township alone. Mr. Bright seems to understand the business of buying cattle and proposes to continue in it.

—H. H. Tomlinson followed suit by putting up a street lamp at his store. Next?

—The new vernandas built by Wm. Mauck and John Breon respectively look just splendid. It seems that about everybody has caught the improvement spirit.

—Jacob W. Snook is about the busiest man in town. Early and late he can be seen cleaning up and trimming, improving and beautifying around his fine new mansion on Penn street.

—Mr. C. A. Sturgis, of Lewisburg, was here last week visiting. Charley seems strongly attached to Millheim and manifests his feelings by frequent visits. He is welcome every time.

—The new street lamps at the Millheim Hotel were lighted for the first time on. Thursday evening and the effect was most pleasing. It reminded one very much of an evening in the city.

—Samuel Weiser, Jr., who had his left hand lacerated by a circular saw the other week, was obliged to submit to the amputation of the third finger. The operation was performed on Tuesday.

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NOTICE.—The subscriptions taken at the dedication of the Lutheran church at Millheim are now due and payable. The committee is in need of funds to complete the church. Subscribers are kindly solicited to come to their help. Finance Committee.

—Mountain fires raged this week in the Seven Mountains south of Greenbriar. A large area was burned over and much valuable timber destroyed. Mr. Jacob Snavely is a heavy sufferer. Such wanton destruction of property is truly a fiendish act, particularly as it does nobody any good whatever. It is the more pity that the villains who do it can not be caught and properly punished.

—Our aged fathers are going one after another to their eternal home. The last one called away from our midst was Mr. Wm. Reifsnyder, who was an honored and respected citizen in this community for many years. He departed last Sunday and his mortal remains were intered in Millheim Cemetery on Tuesday. His funeral was largely attended and the Rev. Z. A. Yearick preached an instructive sermon to the assembled relatives, neighbors and friends.

—Our local society of singers expecting to participate in the great musical jubilee at Selinsgrove on the 12th of June, had their first meeting in the Reformed Church at Aaronsburg last Saturday evening and notwithstanding the unfavorable weather was attended by about thirty members. The number will increase to about fifty at the next meeting on the coming Saturday evening, when the necessary officers of the organization will be chosen. Singers wishing to take part in the coming musical feast should join the class without further delay.

—John F. Duncan, Esq., of Lewisburg, paid his native town, Millheim, a short visit last week. He expressed himself surprised as well as gratified over the improvements which have been made here in recent years, both in new buildings and in general repairing. Mr. Duncan, we are happy to add, is a prominent and successful member of the Lewisburg bar and was last fall elected District attorney of Union county by a very flattering majority.

—The Laurelton correspondent of the Mifflinburg *Telegraph* wants a survey made through the Narrows and Penn's Valley, for a direct rail road to the west. He speaks as follows:

Railroad is what engrosses the minds of quite a number of our citizens, and the query is: Why is it that some *one* of the different engineer corps now in the mountains do not make a survey through the Penns Valley Narrows? The route is as good as the best elsewhere to be found and the shortest and most direct of any, and through as fine and productive a soil as there is in any State, besides the trade of adjoining valleys would *naturally* draw to such a road. Then, why not by actual survey ascertain the feasibility of the route? Were a road to be built through the Penns Valley Narrows and through Centre, we are positive that the route would be found to be the most direct, besides being the outlet of Penns, Brush, Sugar, and part of Nittany Valleys.

—Don't fail to read J. R. Smith & Co's readjusted advertisment in another column. This firm has a widely spread reputation as enterprising business men, and their large trade is constantly on the increase. They have the largest business house in Milton and their stock of house furnishing goods is hardly exceeded this side of Philadelphia. Whether in the line of Furniture, Carpets, Pianos, Organs, Sewing Machines, China and Silverware, they can suit all classes of customers, because they have all grades and kinds of goods. Doing business on so large a scale their prices are of course low beyond competition in this part of the state. Our readers who need any thing in the several lines kept by this large house will do well to call and examine their stock before purchasing elsewhere. 2t

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SPRING MILLS ITEMS.

The large Elm on Auchentorlie farm, near this place, to which you referred several weeks ago, measures 24 feet in circumference 1 foot above the ground. That sets the Lewisburg tree in the shade.

James N. Leitzell and Jacob Bame, two of our mechanics, have gone to Tyrone and Altoona for employment.

Each of the two Sabbath Schools has about the same attendance the one had before. So we have a marked improvement in this respect.

J. A. Grenoble is building a new house on Wallace street. Jacob McCool's house is also going up.

Our butcher, Mr. Decker, is doing a good business and fully deserves the patronage of the public.

The white-washing mania has struck Spring Mills and everybody is at work in giving fences and out-buildings a covering of pure, spotless white. This gives our otherwise beautiful town an additional air of enchantment. (Yes, particularly *at a distance.*—Ed.)

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Miscellaneous.

Presiding Elder Hinkle, of the Juniata district, Methodist Episcopal Church, is to receive a yearly salary of $2000.

Col. Levi Tate proprietor of the Lycoming *Chronicle*, Williamsport, died on Monday evening, April 30th. Aged seventy-three years.

It is reported that Mrs. Jack Kehoe, the widow of the notorious chief of the Mollie Maguires, has, by the death of a relative in Indiana, fallen heir to $25,000.

At a public sale in Selinsgrove recently, Gov. Snyder's cradle, a piece of home made soap 93 years old, and a chair 130 years old, were among the things sold.

The servant girl who murderously attacked Mrs. May (sister-in-law of Mrs. B. Harris, Lewisburg,) in Phila., recently, was sentenced to twelve years imprisonment in the penitentiary.

A number of cases of undoubted leprosy have been discovered in NewYork: and it is feared that the desease, by its dread contagion, may become troublesome and dangerous.

A fun-loving wretch at Richmond, Va. took a twelve year old boy to a low groggery and gave him nearly a pint of whisky to drink. The boy died, and his murderer was sentenced to twelve years' imprisonment.

By a new order of the Post-office Department postmasters are only required too keep letters for seven days before sending them to the dead-letter office. Heretofore the law compelled them to keep such letters thirty days.

A general scalp bill, introduced at this session of the Legislature by Representative Burchfield, passed the House finally last week. The bill provides $20 for a wolf scalp, $1 for wild cat, foxes, and 50 cents for minks, weasels, skunks, hawks and owls.

The horses in Upper Bern township, Berks county, are afflicted with a strange disease, which commences at the fetlock with a virulent sore, gradually extending over the greater part of the animal. Veterinary surgeons are unable to either cure the disease or to prevent it from spreading.

SOME of the gangs of murderers and desperadoes who infest various regions in the West spread more terror than the Apaches on the war-path. Just now the Barlow brothers, four in number, are on a raid among the villages of Kansas, and the inhabitants tare arming for self-protection. A singular fact about these Western outlaws is that their bands are often composed of whole families. The Young brothers, the James brothers, the Shepherd brothers, the Miller brothers, and others have in turn made their names notorious throughout the West. It is hardly to be wondered at the foreigners, hearing of the exploits of so many murderous gangs, sometimes get very erroneous ideas concerning the general condition of things in America.—Ex.

Persons who receive by mistake or otherwise, letters not intended for them should take a second thought before breaking them open, and read section 1,225 of the postal laws and regulations of 1876, wherein is prescribed that the penalty attached to the act of opening by any person, of a letter received from a post office and not addressed to such person, to be a fine not over $500, or imprisonment at hard labor for not more than one year, or both.

Nihilists' Preparations for the Coronation.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 7.—The authorities believe that the Nihilists are making preparation for simultaneous disturbances in various portions of the Empire during the period of the Czar's coronation.

Killed by a Careless Boy.

PINE GROVE, Pa., April 29.—This morning several boys were examining an old gun at John Lehman's house, two miles from town, and while in the hands of Harrison Greely it was accidently discharged, the contents entering the temple of John Badford, aged twenty years, inflicting fatal injuries. The Coroner's jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the above facts.

Phipps Convicted of Forgery.

PHILADELPHIA, May 6.—The jury in the case of Ellis P. Phipps, ex-almhouse superintendent, charged with forgery, after being out all night returned a verdict of guilty yesterday morning. Phipps' counsel asked for an arrest of judgement and requested to be allowed four days to prepare a motion for a new trial. The court granted the request.

A Big Fee for Trifling Service.

From the Atlanta Constitution.

There was once in Gainesville a physician who was noted for his exorbitant charges. A little son of a wealthy citizen one day had the misfortune to stick quite a large splinter into his foot and was taken to this physician to have it extracted. After the work was done, in a half dozen minutes, he was asked about his fee and that it was one hundred dollars. He insisted and it was actually collected.

Old England in a Bad Way.

Rufus Hatch in the Chicago Tribune.

In looking over the condition of affairs in England I find that it is the same old story again, of too many people to the acreage. England has 116,000 square miles of territory and 34,000,000 of people. The land is owned by a very few proprietors and they too own the people. This land has to support the royal family—always largely on the increase—all the nobles, and the church with its train of archbishops and bishops, many of whom receive salaries of from $50,000 to $75,000 a year. And so the rent, the tithes and the taxes run up as high as $30 the acre on the land. One year of such expenditure on one hundred acres of land would buy a freehold of the best lands in the great Northwest. Can any country on earth stand this? Something has got to bend or break.

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Cement, per Bushel	45 to 50
Barley	
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Flaxseed	
Cloverseed	8.50
Butter	22
Hams	17
Sides	19
Veal	
Pork	
Beef	
Eggs	18
Potatoes	60
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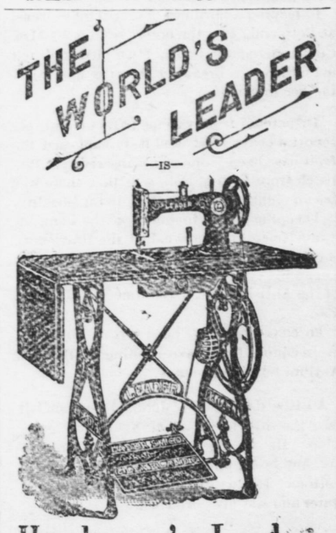

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CHILDREN'S COLUMN.

The Feathered Hero.

An interesting relic is preserved in a glass case in the English Coldstream guards orderly room at Whitehall. It consists of the head and neck of a goose, around which is a golden collar with the inscription, "Jacob 2d Battalion Coldstream Guards." Beneath it are the words, "Died on Duty."

In 1838 a rebellion broke out in Great Britain's Canadian possessions, and two battalions of the guards were sent thither to assist in quelling it, the battalion already mentioned being one of them. Both corps occupied the citadel of Quebec, and in their turn supplied the guards which were ordered to be mounted in different parts of the town and neighborhood. Near one of these guards was a farmyard which had suffered much from the ravages of foxes—animals that were at that time a great pest to the colonists; and as the farm in question had been suspected of being the meeting place of the rebels, a chain of sentries was placed around it. One day the sentry, whose duty it was to watch the entrance to the farm, had his attention attracted to an unusual noise, and on looking toward the spot whence it proceeded he beheld a fine goose fleeing toward him closely pursued by a fox. His first impulse was to have at shot at the latter; but this would have alarmed the guard, and brought condign punishment on himself for giving a false alarm. He was compelled, therefore, to remain a silent spectator to the scene, while every step brought the reynard nearer to his prey. In the hight of its despair the poor bird ran its head and neck between the legs of the soldier, in its frantic endeavor to reach the refuge which the sentry-box could afford, and at the same moment the wily fox made a desperate grab at the goose; but too late, for ere he could get a feather between his teeth, the ready bayonet of the sentinel passed through his body. The poor goose, by way of showing its gratitude to its preserver, rubbed its head against his legs, and made other equally curious demonstrations of joy; nor could it ever be prevailed upon to quit the post, but walked up and down day after day with each successive sentry that was placed there until the battalion left Canada, when the goose was brought away with it as a regimental pet to England.

The most remarkable thing in contion with the story is that the goose in turn actually saved its preserver's life. Whether the former knew that the sentry was the same man or not must, of course, forever remain a problem; but it so happened that he was on that particular post about two months afterward, attended by the goose, when a desperate attempt was made to surprise and kill the unwary sentinel. In these moments of darkness a sharp observer might have noticed the shadows of several men, who unobserved by the somewhat drowsy sentinel, were endeavoring stealthily to approach the post where he stood. Closer and closer they stole up toward the post, the thick snow which lay on the ground completely deadening the sound of their footsteps. But just as two of their number, one on each side of the sentry-box, were preparing with uplifted knives to spring upon the unsuspecting man, the goose made a grand effort, rose suddenly on its wings, and swept around the sentry-box with tremendous force, flapping its wings right in the faces of the would-be assassins. They were astounded, and rushed blindly forward; but the sentry, fully aroused to his danger, bayoneted one and shot at the other as he was running away. Meanwhile, the other conspirators approached quickly to the assistance of their colleagues; but the bird repeated its tactics, and enabled the sentry to keep them at bay until the guard—whom the firing of his musket had alarmed—came upon the scene and made them flee for their lives.

When this incident became known, poor old Jacob was the hero of the garrison, and the officers subscribed for and purchased the golden collar which the bird afterward wore until the day of its death. The feathered hero was well fed and cared for, and a circular bath filled with water was always at his disposal. For many years Jacob seemed to bear a charmed life; but he was at length run over by a van. Every effort which kindness and skill could suggest was made to save the extraordinary bird, but it was of no avail, and he died like a true soldier, at the post of duty, after a "sentry go" of no less than twelve years.

A Use for Dudes.

"I suppose you have heard of our dudes, Miss Clarwa?" observed a New York swell to a Jacksonville girl.

"Oh, yes," she answered, "they are becoming very popular in Florida. We use them for alligator bait."—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

The Minneapolis *Tribune* says that goats are the best land cleaners known. It says that a herd of 1000 entirely cleared 500 acres of brush land in three years. Not a vestige of undergrowth was left.

The sunflower does not turn with the sun, but a recent observer finds that a majority of the flowers do have a prevailing direction when opened.

THE NEWS.

The Central Labor Union in New York discussed the relation of the labor question to the revolutionary movements in Europe. General sentiment favored the use of dynamite—the argument advanced being that king and potentates use every engine of destruction in their wars, and particularly against the people, when revolutionary outbreaks occur.

James J. Madden, a clerk in the importing house of Muser & Bros., 465 Broome street, New York, has been arrested on the charge of stealing $23,000 worth of laces. He admitted the theft and gave the names of several persons to whom he had sold the goods all of whom were arrested.

The schedule in the assignment of George Palin & Co., tanners and dealers in oils, at 87 Gold street and 424 Water street, New York, to Justus L. Bulkley, has been filed. The liabilities are $598,021, nominal assets $487,-799, and actual assets $279,735.

Agents of the secret service division of the treasury have arrested a gang of counterfeiters in New York whose operations they have been watching for some time.

Among the deeds recorded in New York were three conveying property in Mott street to three Chinamen who have declared their intention to become American citizens. They paid $31,500 for their purchases.

A bill making the Brooklyn bridge free for foot passengers has passed the New York Assembly.

The six-day race—10 hours a day—between Charles Leroy, riding horses, and John S. Prince and W. M. Woodside, riding bicycles, during alternate hours, was continued at the Boston Casino. At 10.30 P. M., the close of the day's contest, the score showed 303 miles for the horses and 312 for the bicycles.

During the last three months 1,376 building permits were issued in Baltimore.

Middle and Southern News

A terrible cyclone visited Webster parish passing from the northeast to the southwest over a length of track extending 15 miles. Dr. S. F. Johnson's gin house and other buildings were blown away. William Taylor's place was badly wrecked. S. R. Harrell's place was torn to pieces, and the cabins and barns were utterly demolished, while rails from the fences were blown for miles. On forty acres of heavily timbered land not a tree is left standing. The fences on the place were blown away and not a vestige of corn or fodder is left. Wm. Gamble's place is badly damaged. Mrs. Youngblood was hurt. Most miraculeus escapes are reported. Several negroes who were blown across a field alighted uninjured.

Cyclones in the South continue. At Benton, Texas, a terrific storm swept over the country, demolishiug trees and houses, and attended with loss of life. At Arcada, La., the heaviest hail storm was experienced, doing damage to stock, trees and everything in its track. At Hammond, La., a hailstorm unprecedented in violence, was experienced, causing great damage to houses, crops and vegetation.

A fire at Wellsburg, W. Va., destroyed Fowler's livery stable, the Pan-Handle *News* office, the residence and tin-shop of J. N. Tharnock, the dwelling and store of Hugh Booth and the Dwelling and saloon of Robert Thompson. The town hall, council chambers and market house were badly damaged. The total loss will be about $37,000. The town is without fire extinguishing apparatus.

The Oakland *Democrat* says:—"J. H. Gordon & Son, of Cumberland, Md., have sold Yough Manor, a tract of land in Garrett county, comprising 9,000 acres, for $45,000, to Pennsylvanians. This strengthens the opinion that it will not be long until a railroad will be constructed running through this section to connect with the West Virginia Central and Pittsburg and Baltimore and Ohio Railroads.

Information received from Roannoke, Va., represents the prevalence of scarlet fever in that town to such an extent as to cause general concern. There have been a number of deaths of children and adults within several days past, and the schools have been closed in consequence of the epidemic.

The Scott liquor law of Ohio has been decided unconstitutional by Justice May, of Stubenville. The justice gave an opinion that the law is unconstitutional because the tax is unequal and because it impairs existing contracts.

The Irish societies of Philadelphia have appointed a committee to wait on the newspapers of that city and ask that correspondents be sent to Ireland to investigate the condition of affairs, and to inform the people of this country of the evils under which the Irish people are suffering.

In leaping a hurdle at Forepaugh's circus, at Pottsville, Pa., the horse ridden by Mrs. Cook, an equestrienne, stumbled and fell upon the rider, breaking her ribs and injuring her internally.

Dispatches from various parts of Virginia report a heavy frost and it is supposed the fruit has been somewhat injured. A dispatch from Felton, Del., says that there was ice an eighth of an inch thick in that locality.

Theopilus Fenn, founder of the Pennsylvania Telegraph, (now called the Harrisburg Telegraph,) died near Harrisburg, Pa. He began his editorial career in 1827 as editor of the Anti-Masonic *Herald*, at New Holland, Pa.

Three persons have been arrested in Baltimore county for grave robbing at Bayview Asylum burying grounds.

A little daughter of John O'Connell fell into the hydraulic canal at Middletown, Ohio. He sprang into the canal to rescue her, and being unable to swim, went to the bottom. His wife followed him into the water and was also drowned.

George Lake, a colored man has been convicted at Cambridge, Md., for an indecent assault on Mrs. Simmons, and sentenced to be hanged.

Eleven persons charged with being engaged in the attack on Obrien's circus, at Dover, Del., were indicted by the grand jury at Dover.

A $500,000 cotton factory is to be started at Florence, S. C. The company has been organized and over $100,000 was subscribed at the first meeting.

George W. Demarest, a wealthy resident of Passaic, N. J., was killed last summer by the accident on the Long Branch Division of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, when the train ran off the bridge over Parker's creek. His relatives brought suit for $100,-000 damages in the Passaic county court, and recovered a verdict for $30,000.

Captain Philip B. Thompson, member of Congress from the eighth Kentucky district, shot and killed Walter Davis, as he was stepping from a smoking car on the Cincinnati Southern railroad. The cause alleged for the deed was an undue intimacy of Davis with Thompson's wife.

A hosiery mill has gone into operation in Columbia, S. C., within the penitentiary wall, the hands employed being convicts. The green hands are under instructions by skilled workmen from the North, which has also supplied the machinery. When in full operation the mill will employ two hundred hands and turn out 12,000 pair of stockings a day.

The Supreme Court of Ohio has refused to grant the motion for a petition in error in the case of J. D. Watson, convicted of bribing members of the Legislature. The sentence of the court to imprisonment will now be carried out.

The activity at Richmond, Va., May 1st, in the tobacco trade has surpassed anything ever known in the history of this business in the city. Nearly 2,000,000 pounds of tobacco, 4,000,000 cigarettes and 1,000,000 cigars have been shipped from here or prepared for shipment at an early day.

During last week twenty-five steamships of large tonnage arrived at Newport News, Va.

Washington Notes.

The reduced internal revenue taxes will be operative May 1st. The tobacco trade, which has been dull pending the reduction, is expected to be active from the outset.

Gen. Raum, commissioner of internal revenue, has tendered his resignation to the President.

Red Cloud sends word to the President that he has discovered a gold mine on his reservation.

The debt statement issued shows the decrease of the public debt during the month of April to be $2,851,402.65.

Foreign News.

LONDON, April 27.—Michael Fagan was convicted at Dublin yesterday of participating in the Phœnix Park murders, and was sentenced to be hanged May 28.

Dovine, who was arrested in Dublin, at the time of the murder of Detective Cox, has turned informer, and yesterday gave testimony which will lead to a number of arrests.

The London *Times* favors the trying of the conspirators by the judges when juries fail to agree.

A nitro-glycerine manufactory has been discovered at Northampton.

The French council of state has decided to stop the salaries of all bishops and clergymen.

LONDON, April 29.—Joseph Hanlon, one of the Phœnix Park murderers, has made a statement implicating other prisoners.

Patrick Delaney, sentenced to ten years penal servitude, for assaulting Judge Lawson, has been charged with a more serious crime.

An anonymous letter has been received in London threatening to blow up Guildhall on May 6 with dynamite.

The Dublin police have evidence that Carey, the informer, is implicated in murders of Talbot and others.

Mr. Sargent, American minister in Berlin, has made an explanation concerning the recent newspaper charges against him.

It is stated that a request will be made from Dublin for the extradition of a dozen persons from the United States.

More arrests have been made in Dublin in connection with the murder conspiracy.

The yellow fever has appeared at Vera Cruz, Mexico.

LONDON, April 30.—Fitzharris, alias "Skin the Goat," one of the Phœnix Park prisoners, was placed on trial yesterday.

It is said that the charges against a dozen Irish refugees in America have been forwarded to the British ministry at Washington.

Dr. Norvin Green, president of the Western Union Telegraph Company, was entertained at dinner in Greenwich, England, last night by Mr. John Pender, M. P.

It was said in the House of Commons yesterday that a conspiracy to murder existed in county Clare, Ireland.

The testimonial to Mr. Parnell has reached £6,000.

The London *Times* says the Philadelphia convention was supremely ridiculous.

LONDON, May 1.—The cab driver, Fitzharris, alias "Skin the Goat," who was placed on trial in Dublin on the charge of being one of the principals in the Phœnix Park murders, was acquitted yesterday. He will will next be tried on the charge of a conspiracy to murder.

The *Norddeutsche Zeitung*, of Berlin severely criticises Minister Sargent for his course relative to the importation of American hog products into Germany.

The Russian authorities believe that the Nihilists are making preparations for simultaneous disturbances in various portions of the empire during the period of the Czar's coronation.

The London *Times* says a meeting of leading owners of steamships will be held on the 10th inst., to take steps towards raising capital for the purpose of building another canal across the Isthmus of Suez.

Queen Victoria has definitely abandoned her intention to open the Fisheries Exhibition. The Prince and Princess of Wales will officiate in her place.

Admiral Berger, the second commander in rank of the German navy has resigned.

THE MARKETS.

BALTIMORE.

FLOUR—City Mills extra..	$4 25	@4	75
WHEAT—Southern Fultz...	1 20	@1	22
CORN—Southern white.....	66	@	67
Do yellow.....	63	@	65
RYE—Good.....	70	@	72
OATS—Maryland.....	52	@	54
COTTON—Middling.....	10	@	10⅛
Good ordinary.....	8½	@	8¾
HAY—Md. and Pa. Timot'y	18 00	@	19 00
STRAW—Wheat.....	8 00	@	10 00
BUTTER—Western prime..	26	@	28
West Virginia.....	19	@	21
CHEESE—New York State choice.....	15	@	16
Western prime.....	13	@	13½
EGGS.....	15	@	16
CATTLE.....	6 00	@	8 25
SWINE.....	9	@	10
SHEEP AND LAMBS.....	4	@	6
TOBACCO LEAF—Inferior.	1 50	@	2 00
Good common.....	3 00	@	4 50
Middling.....	6 00	@	8 00
Good to fine red.....	8 50	@	10 00
Fancy.....	1000	@	14 00

NEW YORK.

COTTON—Middling upland	10	@	10¼
FLOUR—Southern com. to fair extra.....	4 75	@5	10
WHEAT—No. 1 white.....	1 15	@1	16
RYE—State.....	78	@	79
CORN—Southern Yellow....	69	@	70
OATS—White State.....	51	@	54
BUTTER—State.....	20	@	24
CHEESE—State.....	13	@	14
EGGS.....	20	@	28

PHILADELPHIA.

FLOUR—Penna. fancy.....	4 75	@5	10
WHEAT—Pa. and Southern red.....	1 21	@1	23
RYE—Pennsylvania.....	70	@	72
CORN—Southern yellow....	68	@	69
OATS.....	52	@	53
BUTTER—State.....	20	@	27
EGGS—State.....	15	@	17

CLIPPINGS.

Railway signals: Signal extortion, signal neglect, and signal impudence.

Never say "Bo" to a goose; it is ungrammatical. Say beau to the gander—belle to the goose.

The boys in one of our grammar schools call their schoolma'am "Experience," because she is a dear teacher.

"Why is a young man like a kernel of corn?" asked a young lady. "Because," said another, "he turns white when he pops."

"Marriage," said an unfortunate husband, "is the church-yard of lovers." "And you men," replied his wife, "are the grave-diggers."

"The best conductor of electricity at present known is silver." The best conductor into "society" at present known is gold. It used to be brains.

"Why is it, husband, that whenever we send for a pound of tea or coffee to the grocer's, it falls an ounce short?" "Oh, it's just a weigh he has."

A lawyer, who died recently, left the greater part of his money to the asylum for lunatics and idiots. He said the money ought to go to the classes from whom he received it.

A western journal has been sued for libel for calling a man a horse thief. He will prove that he owns a livery stable and should have been called an extortioner instead of a thief.

Prof. Langley, of Pittsburg, discovered a remarkably new black spot upon Venus during her transit through that city. This is the usual experience of visitors to Pittsburg. They are lucky if they get off with only one spot.

An attorney, about to finish a bill of costs, was requested by his client, a baker, "to make it as light as he could." "Ah!" replied the attorney, "that's what you say to your foreman, but it's not the way I make my bread."

"Come, pa," said a youngster just home from school, "how many peas in a pint?" "How can anybody tell that you foolish boy?" "I can every time. If you don't believe it, try me." "Well, how many are there, then?" "Just one p in every pint."

"That butter is all right," said a boarding-house keeper; "it's firkin butter, and tastes a little of the wood, that's all." "If that's the case," replied the boarder, who is a contractor, "I should like to get some of that wood to make railroad bridges out of."

"What is the matter, old fellow? You seem worried." "Well, I am—I'm being dunned up hill and down dale by my infernal creditors." "Oh, you owe a large sum of money?" "No, but many small sums, and debts are like children—the smaller they are the more bother they are."

No Speechmakers.

Washington never made a speech. In the zenith of his fame he attempted it, failed, and gave it up confused and abashed. In framing the constitution of the United States, the labor was entirely performed in a committee of the whole, of which Washington was chairman; he made two speeches during the convention, however, acknowledged the master spirit, and historians affirm that, had it not been for his great popularity, and the thirty words of his first speech, pronouncing the best that could be united upon, the constitution would have been rejected by the people. Thomas Jefferson never made a speech. He couldn't do it. Napoleon, whose executive ability is almost without parallel, said that his greatest difficulty was in finding men of deeds rather than words. When asked how he maintained his influence over his superiors in age and experience when commander-in-chief of an army in Italy, he said by reserve. The greatness of man is not measured by the length of his speeches and their number.

A correspondent of the Army and Navy Register, writing from Fort Keogh, M. T., says: "The post schools are sorry affairs, although from Washington one would be led to believe them excellent in their effects. The writer lately visited a post school at a seven company post. He found only two students. The rooms were uncleanly and ill-lit. The teacher worn out by teaching children all day. There were no maps no descriptive pictures, nothing to tempt men to come.

On the Central and Southern railroad orders have bene issued requiring every one of the ten thousand employes to file a personal description of himself, with numerous points as to his history, and a photographic portrait. This is intended to protect the companies against employing men who have shown themselves untrustworthy. At the same time the system enables the good men to benefit by their record.

A hotel clerk named Briscoe,
Stumped his foot out in 'Frisco,
It hurt him like thunder,
But the pain was got under,
By St. Jacobs Oil rubbed on histoe.

A conductor who lives at Belair,
Got hurt, being thrown on a chair,
They took him away,
But in less than a day,
St. Jacobs Oil made him all square.

He was at breakfast, wrestling with a piece of remarkable tough veal. His wife said to him—"You always say there is something to be thankful for in everything. I fancy you'd be puzzled to find something to be thankful for in that veal." "Not at all; I was just thinking how grateful we should be if we met it when it was young."

A WOMAN'S EXPERIENCE.

What a Lady of Great Prominence Has to Say About Her Sex.

(*Boston Globe.*)

On a recent trip by a representative of this paper to the city of Haverhill, Mass., a most important incident occurred, which cannot fail to be of the greatest interest to all, and especially to our lady readers. The newspaper man met a lady a trifle past middle age with luxurious white hair that contrasted strikingly with piercing black eyes. She possessed a straight, full habit, womanly, but commanding, combined with manners wholly lady-like, and yet pronounced. Any acute judge of human nature could see at once that he was in the presence of an unusual personage—one destined to accomplish more than most of her sex, and to exert an influence far reaching in its power. This lady was Mrs. M. W. Wingate. Almost from childhood she has taken a special interest in the bodily troubles of her sex and has probably been more successful in relieving suffering and saving lives than any other woman in America. Indeed, she seems to have been to women what Florence Nightingale and Dorothy Dix were to the suffering soldiers. The instances of women who were in the greatest agony and apparently beyond the reach of human aid, that she has restored to health and happiness, are almost innumerable, and it was only natural that the scribe should become specially interested and wish to converse with her more in detail.

"How long have you been engaged in the practice of medicine, Mrs. Wingate?"

"For more than twenty-five years."

"A long time, certainly. How did you happen to enter the field at that early day when women in the professions were specially frowned down upon?"

"I think I must have inherited a taste from my father, Professor J. C. Wood, of Harvard College. He was eminent in the profession, a hard worker and equally earnest in his recreations. He hunted considerably, and I remember when only nine years old I used to dissect the birds and animals he had killed. I felt infatuated with medical science even then, and the infatuation has continued up to the present time."

"And did you begin your studies so early in life?"

"I can hardly say when I began, for I cannot remember when I did not read medical literature. You would scarcely believe it, but I was a slender girl and did not weigh over 120 pounds, but I used to sit up night after night until 2 o'clock in the morning poring over my studies and never dreaming of the flight of time. It seemed as though calls for my attendance on the sick always came unsolicited. I certainly cannot fix the date when I first began practicing. Of course most of my patients were women, and the natural sympathy I felt for my sex has increased during all these years where I have been brought so closely in contact with them and have learned to anticipate their needs and sympathize with their sufferings. After the opening of the Boston Medical College I appeared before the faculty; passed examination and received a diploma. I had practiced for years previous to that time but thought it desirable to receive another diploma, which I did without any effort."

"Your experience with the many and serious diseases of women having been so extensive must also be valuable. Can you give me some facts regarding them."

"I find that woman seems born to suffering, and where she avoids it, it is by reason of some care on her part or owing to some special renewing power. It is true some women go through life without unusual suffering, but they are none the less in danger, for there are critical periods all along their pathway when the utmost precaution is required. The innumerable complaints called female weaknesses; the irregularities of life and changes of the system all indicate the perils which hang over every woman's career, and which, unless attended to, may result disastrously."

"But is there no way by which these terrible troubles can be avoided?"

"That has been the problem for years. The habits of life and the demands of fashion are clearly at war with the health of women. I have been, perhaps, unusually successful in my treatment of their troubles, but there have been many cases that seemed specially stubborn. I recall one in particular. I had exhausted all the usual expedients and the results were not satisfactory. I became worried over the case and really did not know what to do, but finally thought I would try some thing out of the usual line. I had heard a certain remedy recommended very highly and so I procured some and made a chemical analysis of it. I found it was perfectly pure, and that the ingredients were unusually valuable. So I began giving it to my patient, changing it, however, into a bottle of my own. To my great joy it seemed to have an almost immediate effect and a complete cure was the result. Since then I have used it constantly in my practice and have cured every form of female weakness, as well as displacements, dropsical tumors, cellu dropsy and all such troubles. I have also used it with the best results in cases of pregnancy and gestation. Indeed I have found it of untold value and benefit.

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A wealthy young farmer from Butler county, Neb., came to the capital last week to find a wife. He was introduced to a young woman, proposed and was accepted. On his second visit he took his betrothed out to ride, and on returning to the house apprised her that he had concluded not to marry. Being importuned to give a reason, he said he had discovered that she powdered, and he thought no woman who powdered could possibly make a good wife. The district court will decide whether powder is a sufficient cause to break an engagement.

Woolen mills established in New Zealand have proved highly successful, and already consume over 5,000 bales a year. The most important are within ten miles of Dunedin, the capital of Otago province. Much of the machinery employed is American.

Two young women at the birthday party of Jesse Taylor, Findly, Ohio, moved his chair from under him as he attempted to take a seat between them. Jesse fell and broke his neck. One of the young women is now a maniac through grief.

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DEAR SIR—Feeling deeply grateful for the great benefits which I have received from the use of a very valuable article which has its origin and home in our beautiful city, and hoping that others who are afflicted as I have been may find like relief from its use, I beg the indulgence of a few lines in your valuable paper for the privilege of communicating to you a brief statement of facts, for the benefit of the multitude of sufferers to be met with on every side. Many of my friends well know that I have been very severely afflicted with heart disease for a number of years, and have suffered from it as only those can suffer who have that disease; it reduced my strength so low that I could scarcely walk across my room, and the least exertion rendered me so short-breathed that I dared scarcely move, and life seemed very burdensome. I was treated for my malady by the best physicians, and derived no benefit from their treatment or prescriptions until I was advised by my family physician to use Hunt's Remedy, as my trouble was caused by inaction of my kidneys, which affected very seriously the action of my heart. I commenced taking it (having little faith in it or any other medicine), and it has helped me wonderfully, and I am now a great deal better, and have been ever since I began its use. In fact, I have taken no medicine that has benefited me so greatly. My breathing is easy, and I have gained in strength so much that I am able to do my housework. I cheerfully recommend Hunt's Remedy to all who may be afflicted as I have been, or who are suffering from general debility and nervous prostration.

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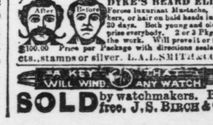

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A NOTED BUT UNTITLED WOMAN.

[From the Boston *Globe.*]

Messrs. Editors:—

The above is a good likeness of Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., who above all other human beings may be truthfully called the "Dear Friend of Woman," as some of her correspondents love to call her. She is zealously devoted to her work, which is the outcome of a life-study, and is obliged to keep six lady assistants, to help her answer the large correspondence which daily pours in upon her, each bearing its special burden of suffering, or joy at release from it. Her Vegetable Compound is a medicine for good and not evil purposes. I have personally investigated it and am satisfied of the truth of this.

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